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SUBJECT: ESSO EXPLORATION IN RED SEA

REF: CAIRO 3847

ESSO EXPLORATION MANAGER ED STANLEY HAS INFORMED US THAT SEISMIC WORK IN PORTION OF ESSO'S RED SEA CONCESSION CLOSE TO RAS MUHAMMED HAS BEEN COMPLETED. VESSEL CONDUCTING SEISMIC WORK WAS UNDISTURBED BY ISRAELIS UNTIL CLOSE TO END OF MISSION WHEN IT MADE WIDE TURN INTO WHAT STANLEY DESCRIBED AS QUOTE ISRAELI-CONTROLLED WATER, I.E. WITHIN SIX MILES FROM SINAI COAST UNQUOTE, AND WAS TAILED BY ISRAELI PATROL BOAT UNTIL IT FINISHED TURN AND HEADED FOR OPEN WATER. STANLEY RELIEVED THAT MANEUVER WENT WITHOUT INCIDENT.

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